

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Saturday Fair

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver	99 1/2c
Copper	23 1/2c
Lead	7 1/10c
Quicksilver	\$112 @ \$120

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TONOPAH, NEVADA, FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 7, 1918

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WHIRLWIND RUSH OF MARINES

UNCLE SAM'S SOLDIERS OF SEA DISTINGUISH THEMSELVES

SUBMARINE
WAITS FOR
BIG GAME

ENEMY SUPPOSED TO BE LURKING ON TRAIL OF TRANSPORTS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—The sinking Wednesday of the British steamship Harpathian, 100 miles off the Virginia coast, strengthens the theory of officials that a U-boat is now lying in wait for larger prey. The loss of the Harpathian made the total victims of the U-boat 14.

WHEAT CROP MAY
REACH BILLION

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—June crop conditions indicate the second largest wheat crop raised in the United States. The department of agriculture forecast combined yield at 951,000,000 bushels of winter and spring wheat. The hoped for billion may be raised with the continuation of ideal conditions.

TREASON AGAINST
IRISH LEADERS

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, June 7.—Jeremiah O'Leary, the Irish leader, and five others were indicted by the federal grand jury today, charged with treason. O'Leary is a fugitive from justice. Karl Rodiger and Madame Marie De Victoria are accused of being spies for Germany.

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TODAY AND A YEAR AGO.

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:	1918	1917
5 a. m.	57	53
10 a. m.	72	67
12 noon	80	72
Maximum, June 6	81	73
Minimum, June 6	62	53
Relative humidity at noon		
Today, 17 per cent.		

FAVORITISM SHOWN
IN CLASSIFICATION
WILL BE PROBED

PROVOST MARSHAL ASKS WHY SOME LOCALITIES SHOW A DEFICIENCY

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Provost Marshal General Crowder started a general revision of draft classification today when he telegraphed all governors ordering an investigation to determine the reason for the small numbers of class 1 men in some localities. It is said that thousands of men now in class 4 should be put in classes 1 and 2. The marshal asked to ascertain if men erroneously placed in the upper classes should be lower down.

It is expected that the revision will place half a million more in class 1. Special mention will be given class 2 A, B, C, and class 4 A. An appeal in every case where the classification is not convincingly correct is recommended.

(By Associated Press.)
SACRAMENTO, June 7.—The provost marshal general today telegraphed the governor that class 1 quotas of many California boards are below the national average of 28.7 of the registrants. Among the county boards below the average were Fresno, in both classes; Tulare in No. 2; Merced, Santa Barbara, Imperial and Humboldt.

10,000 CHRISTIANS
SLAIN BY MOSLEMS

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 7.—A bitter struggle is being waged in the Caucasus between the new Caucasian government and the Turks, according to a Moscow dispatch. It is reported that the Turks massacred 10,000 Armenians within a fortnight. The Caucasian government has ordered the mobilization of all men between 19 and 42. Caucasian detachments are being concentrated in the Tiflis district.

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not acceptable to the local office and it is believed the time will be changed by the department so that the mail will leave the southern camp at 4:30 in the afternoon. The argument in favor of the change is that no good is accomplished by waiting until the close of business hours as the stage does not connect with the southern trains and it would be just as suitable to make the hour of departure earlier. The late arrival would also lengthen the hours of the clerks at this end.

The proposals call for round trip daily service on a four-year contract and it is believed the earlier hour would be more acceptable during the winter months.

Under the present arrangement, the train arrives from the north at 6 a. m. and the only mail for Goldfield has to be in the office not later than 5:30 in the morning. The proposed contract would not interfere with the through mails and would apply only to the service between the two camps and intermediate points. The growth of the Gold Mountain district is another important factor as Mr. McQuillan is of the opinion that before the snow blows over the desert again there will be several hundred men steadily employed there.

CYCLONIC ATTACK IRRESISTIBLE
INDIVIDUAL ACTS ARE STAGGERING
BUNCH SOONER FIGHT THAN EAT

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES ON THE MARNE, June 7.—American marines, who began their second attack on the German lines late yesterday afternoon, captured Torcy and drove into Boursches, northwest of Chateau Thierry. They are holding Torcy today in the face of desperate counter attacks and were pushing the Germans back through the streets of Boursches. They obtained virtually all objectives in this attack. The plan didn't include the capture of Torcy, but the Americans swept in and forced out the Germans.

UNCLE SAM
HAS END TO
PATIENCE

GERMANY WARNED NOT TO GO TOO FAR IN THREATENING REPRISALS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—The state department today refused Germany's demand for the release of Captain Lieutenant Rintelen in exchange for Seigfried Paul London, a citizen of the United States, under arrest in Germany as a spy.

Germany proposed an exchange through Switzerland and threatened reprisals if the United States rejected London was condemned to death in Warsaw in 1917, and the sentence was commuted to ten years imprisonment. It appears that his services were in the Russian army.

The state department reminded Germany that it would be wise to consider reprisals and "invite action on the part of the United States with respect to the great number of German subjects here."

60 PER CENT OF
U-BOATS SMASHED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Acting Chairman Swanson of the senate naval committee after a conference with navy heads declared the American and allied forces destroyed 60 per cent of all German submarines constructed and cut the shipping losses in half.

LIGHTLESS NIGHTS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Fuel Administrator Garfield's lightless night suspended until September 1 will be resumed if the unnecessary use of electricity in daylight is continued.

FIFTY THOUSAND HOMELESS

(By Associated Press.)
AMSTERDAM, June 7.—Fifty thousand persons are homeless as the result of fire in the Mohammedan section of Constantinople, according to a Berlin paper.

DRAGGING MAIN STREET

All owners of cars having business on Main street tomorrow morning are requested to park their cars in the center of the street as the drags will be working grading the sides.

One point where the objective was not reached was in Baileau Wood. The fiercest fighting occurred here. The marines reached the outskirts of Boursches last night and poured volleys of machine gun fire into the enemy, inflicting terrific casualties. They also used bayonets against the Germans who attempted to make a stand in the streets.

The marines reached all objectives set for the first hours after beginning the second attack yesterday on Germans northwest of Chateau Thierry.

Early reports indicated that the Germans were on the run and surrendered right and left.

There seemed reason to expect German counter attacks in strength, for previous to the beginning of the afternoon attack at 5 o'clock, the roads behind the German lines were choked with troops, guns and wagons. American artillery created havoc among them.

The marines took strong ground on either side of Baileau Wood and cleared a ravine south of Torcy, which linked the line with Hill 142, which was taken this morning. This gave a strong dominating position for the continuation of the attack. The total advance was approximately two miles on a three mile front.

The Germans captured declared they were weary of war and glad to escape it. They fought, however, for their officers were among them urging them on. The marines dashed into them yelling like Indians, plying bayonet and rifle. One marine, with a prisoner, tackled single-handed two officers and ten Germans. He killed the officers and wounded seven men.

One sergeant was about to take a prisoner when the German dropped on the ground and discharged his revolver at the American after calling him "Komrade." The sergeant shot him and four others who surrendered but refused to raise their hands.

The marines in advancing through the Baileau Woods region went for-

LEATHERNECKS
TRAPPED, FIGHT
THEIR WAY CLEAR

ONE COMPANY OF MARINES EXTRACTS ITSELF FROM A TRAP

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 7.—The Daily Mail correspondent says the Germans fled before the bayonets of the Americans in the action Thursday between Veully and Torcy. Wounded soldiers told how one company of marines, fighting in a wheat field, became surrounded and fought their way out in the face of severe German machine gun fire and captured several guns. The Americans showed considerable skill in using cover, thereby reducing their losses appreciably.

Got the Officer
of German Squad

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Gen. Pershing reported that the men at an American listening post in Picardy killed a German officer who, with 30 men, attempted to raid a post.

ward in four waves of open formation. The first wave was armed with rifles and bombs, and the rear waves carried automatic rifles.

The morale of the Americans is wonderful. They are willing to attempt anything and talk with pride of the heavy losses inflicted on the Germans.

The morning and afternoon attacks yesterday were made by the same men, who had not rested. They asked only for plenty of ammunition. They hardly ate the food brought them because they were absorbed in the task of chasing the enemy.

HEAVY PENALTY
FOR FLOUR MILL

Orders to close the Elko Flour mill for three months and to discontinue the services of W. W. Percival, as manager of the mill, were made by Ralph Merritt, food administrator of California, who in company with Preston McKinney, secretary of the zone committee of the food administration, and J. M. Mannion, Jr., chief of the zone enforcement committee, conducted a hearing in the case on May 18. The findings of Merritt were approved by Herbert Hoover.—Reno Gazette.

FLAG DAY EXERCISES
CONDUCTED BY ELKS

Flag day occurs on June 14 and the anniversary will be observed with special ceremonies by the Tonopah lodge of Elks. The order takes a lively interest in all matters concerning the flag which is honored in the ritual and revered by every member in taking the obligations of the order. This year the program will be prepared with the particular view of impressing on the public the new sphere in which the colors have been placed on the battlefields of Europe. The musical feature will be in charge of Herman Albert and Billy Young, who promise to present selections that will appeal to the patriotism of the audience. These exercises are always open to the public and everybody is invited to attend at the hall of the Elks' home.

AMERICAN SHIP LOST

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, June 7.—The American steamship Argonaut was torpedoed off the Scilly Islands June 7, according to a message received here.

KILLED IN PRACTICE
LAKE CHARLES, La., June 7.—Lieutenants Hagarty and Halton were killed in a collision of airplanes near Gretna field in battle practice.

CASUALTY LIST

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Seventeen were killed, 12 died of wounds, 5 from accident, and 7 from disease; 6 were wounded severely.

Lieutenant Baker, of San Francisco, died from the effect of an accident.
Corporal Johnson, of Lodi, was killed in action.
Private Christianson, of San Pedro, died of wounds and Band Leader Cole, of Inglewood, Cal., died of disease.

FRENCH ALSO GAIN
GROUND AND TAKE
AN IMPORTANT HILL

VALIANT ASSAULT NORTH OF THE AISNE PROVES SUCCESSFUL

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, June 7.—Americans gained ground on the main battle front today. The French captured Leport and are fighting north of the Aisne and Vinly on the Marne front. They also recaptured Hill 204 between the Marne and Rheims. The British gained a footing at Bligny, inflicting heavy losses. The French also captured prisoners in a successful local operation west of Noyon.

HAS FIGHT
WITH A SUB
OFF COAST

(By Associated Press.)
AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 7.—A French armed merchantman which arrived today reported an encounter with a German submarine off the Virginia Capes. Details of the battle are lacking. Extent of the damage to the merchantman are unknown.

OVER TWO SHIPS DAILY

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Seventy-one ships, totaling 344,450 dead weight tons, were launched during May.

INDIAN TRAILER TELLS HOW HE
PICKED UP TRAIL OF PRISONER

Jimmy Darrough, the keen eyed Indian trailer, was on the stand in the district court this morning as a witness for the state in the Kruger murder case. The witness told how he followed the tracks of Kruger which he picked up in the canyon about 500 feet from where the body of McWilliams was found. After the crime was committed and the community aroused the scene was visited by many townspeople whose foot prints obliterated the original trail leading from the side of the murdered man. The recovery of the tracks and how they were followed back to town furnished an interesting chapter that held the interest of the court attendants. The Indian went on to relate that in following the backward trail he ran into a cross trail going in the opposite direction, which he also traced to the end. Part of the distance was covered by a man wearing rubber shoes which were discarded on completing half the distance to town. Later the witness revisited the scene in company with Undersheriff Schade and accompanied by Kruger when he fitted a pair of the defendant's shoes to the tracks and found they fitted the impressions perfectly. After this, the Indian testified, Kruger put new heels on the shoes and drove nails in the soles to mislead any one who would suspect they had been worn around McWilliams place.

Con. Dugan testified that he had seen Kruger in a saloon at 4 o'clock on the afternoon. The value of this testimony is due to the fact that the crime was supposed to have been committed some time before 4 o'clock on the fourth of February, as that

AUSTRIANS
INVADING
SIBERIA

JAPAN MAY BE DRAWN INTO WAR IN DEFENSE OF RIGHTS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—The presence of an Austro-German cavalry brigade and four companies of infantry in the vicinity of the River Onon in far eastern Siberia, reported by an Associated Press dispatch from Harbin, renews the possibilities of offensive action there by Japan, because the seat of the newest activities is very close to the western boundary of Manchuria.

URGES RAISING
THE INCOME TAX

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 7.—Benjamin Marsh of the Farmers National committee, today urged the house ways and means committee to raise the income tax sufficiently to yield \$3,480,000,000 of the eight billion war revenue to be raised by taxation next year.

Marsh said that during the war no patriot would want an income of more than \$50,000. "If we take all over \$50,000, approximately 9200 persons will pay the government \$1,680,000,000 next year. A heavier tax on a lower income yielded \$1,800,000,000.

BUTLER
THEATRE

TO-NIGHT

"THE BEAUTIFUL MRS. REYNOLDS"
Story of U. S. Senator Aaron Burr and famous Secretary of U. S. Treasury, Alexander Hamilton—their duel across the river from New York City caused by their fascination of the beautiful woman. Every foot shown on screen historically true. Also—A two-reel comedy—new brand.

TOMORROW

Emmy Wehlen, in "The Shell Game" and two-reel Sunshine comedy.
Matinee 1:30; Night 7:30-9
Admission 10-15c